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Sir:

The status of the above-identified application is respectfully requested.

A Request for Continued Examination was filed on November 14, 2005 in connection with the above-referenced application, however, to date we have not received an Office Action in response to this Request.

Respectfully submitted,

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